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EMPLOYMENT IN IT SECTOR
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Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY be pleased to state:

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(a) whether the information technology industry is estimated to offer 10,45,000 job opportunities by the end of 2004-05;

(b) if so, the facts in this regard;

(c) the number of IT industries where these prospective employees are likely to be employed; and

(d) the State-wise number of these industries functioning at present and the names of those 20 industries out of them which earn the maximum income?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE FOR COMMUNICATIONS AND INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY(DR. SHAKEEL AHMAD)

(a) and (b): As per NASSCOM, the total number of IT professional employed in India is estimated to be 10,45,000 by the end of 2004-05.

(c): The total number of companies (including SMEs) in the Indian IT services and software industry are nearly 3000 as per NASSCOM studies.

(d): Statewise number of companies registered with Electronics and Computer Software Export Promotion Council are given in the Annexure. Following are the 20 Indian IT services and software exporting companies in 2003-04 in revenue terms:

1 . Tata Consultancy Services 2 . Infosys Technologies Ltd. 3 . Wipro Technologies 4 . Satyam Computer Services Ltd. 5 . HCL Technologies Ltd. 6. Patni Computer Systems Ltd 7. iFlex Solutions 8. Mahindra British Telecom Ltd 9. Polaris Software 10. Perot Systems TSI (HCL Perot Systems Ltd.) 11. Digital Globalsoft Ltd. 12. NIIT Ltd. 13. iGate Global Solutions Ltd. (Mascost Systems Ltd.) 14. Birlasoft Ltd. 15. Mphasis BFL Ltd. 16. Mastek Ltd. 17. Hexaware Technologies Ltd. 18. Larsen and Toubro Intotech Ltd. 19. Tata Infotech Ltd. 20. Huges Software Systems